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Abbot 'n Around

Entertainment On and Off the Post for the Coming Week

SATURDAY

Service Club—Open House.
Station Hospital—Classical Music Hour
Bend USO—Dance, 8:30 p. m.

SUNDAY

Service Club—Open House.
Station Hospital—Red Cross Open House.
Classical Music program in Guest House lounge at 7:30 p. m.
Bend USO—Breakfast, 10 to 11 a. m. Buffet, 4 to 5 p. m. Music 4:30 to 5:30 p. m.

MONDAY

Service Club—GI Movies, 8:30 p. m.
Station Hospital—"Everybody Sing" and Open Forum conducted by Bend Kiwanis Club.

TUESDAY

Service Club—Bingo, 8:30 p. m.
Station Hospital—"Never a Dull Moment," Red Cross Auditorium, 6:30 p. m.
Bend USO—Social Evening.

WEDNESDAY

Service Club—Informal Dance, 8:30 p. m.
Station Hospital—Birthday Party for Patients, 7 p. m.; "Record Your Voice," 6 p. m., Lounge.
Bend USO—Stamp Club.

THURSDAY

Station Hospital—Geraldine Stone and Her Picture Songs, 7 p. m.
Bend USO—Bingo, 8 p. m. Music Appreciation, 9 p. m.

FRIDAY

Service Club—"Record Your Voice" session; Bridge Lessons
Station Hospital—"Iceland," Sonja Henie and John Payne, 6:30 p. m.

CAMP ABBOT THEATRE PROGRAM

Tonight

"TROCADERO"

With Rosemary Lane, Johnny Downs,
Bob Chester and Orchestra

ADDED ATTRACTIONS

LIL' ABNER in "AMOOZIN' BUT CONFOOZIN"
UNUSUAL OCCUPATIONS
ANIMAL TRICKS

SUNDAY - MONDAY

MATINEE

2 P. M.

SUNDAY

NIGHT

6:45 - 8:45



Screen Play by Casey Robinson & Jack Mottitt. From a Novel by Charles Nordhoff & James Norman Hall. Music by Max Shubert.

STAMPS BUY! BONDS On Sale in Lobby!

ADDED
RKO
PATHE
NEWS

TUESDAY

ACTION IN ARABIA

With George Sanders,
Virginia Bruce

Added—OPEN FIRE—
HOW TO PLAY GOLF
TED WEEMS MERCHANT
MARINE BAND

WEDNESDAY

"IT HAPPENED TOMORROW"

With Dick Powell,
Linda Darnell

ADDED
NO NEWS IS GOOD NEWS
EGGS DON'T BOUNCE
MACKINAC ISLAND

THURSDAY - FRIDAY

RITA HAYWORTH — GENE KELLY

"COVER GIRL"

ADDED—RKO PATHE NEWS

GI Literature Sought by American Legion Mag

The Company Clerk of the American Legion Magazine has his hands on some money that he wants to spread among the guys and gals in the services.

Service gags, unusual experiences, cartoons, stories — all kinds of contributions are wanted every month. All submissions must be cleared by the Public

Relations Office at this post, and then may be sent to the Company Clerk, The American Legion Magazine, One Park Avenue, New York City.

Hollywood (CNS) — Strip teaser Betty Rowland, "The Red-Headed Ball of Fire," was hospitalized here after she had dislocated one of her hips while doing a bump.

Over 9 Million Now in Service

More than nine million of the 22 million men now registered for the draft already are in service, Maj. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey, director of the Selective Service System, announced recently in releasing a breakdown of the draft situation in the United States.

The breakdown, which covers draft registrants between the ages of 18 and 38, follows:

Total registrants, 22,138,000.
In the armed forces (inducted), 6,540,000.
In the armed forces (enlisted), 2,430,000.
In process of classification, 1,090,000.
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Occupational deferments, 4,645,000.
Dependency deferments, 4,645,000.
Deferred for other reasons, 152,000.
Unclassified, 90,000.

Included in the 1,090,000 men now in the process of classification, examination or induction, are 43,000 men who have been found qualified for limited service under present requirements but whose services have not been required by the armed forces as yet, General Hershey said.

Notes From C-52



C Co. 52nd Bn. is getting on the ball fast. The last run of the obstacle course showing a marked improvement over previous runs, a few weeks ago any time around 6 minutes for a squad was about average; this was lowered last week to 4 minutes, the biggest improvement has been shown in team work particularly on the 8 foot wall.

Some competition between platoons is starting in cadence rhythms, the first has learned to count in Chinese and the second has a screwy rhyme about leaving their homes and a flock of children, the boys all wonder at the family angle as news reports state pre-Pearl Harbor fathers will not be inducted until next month. More cadence rhymes are expected.

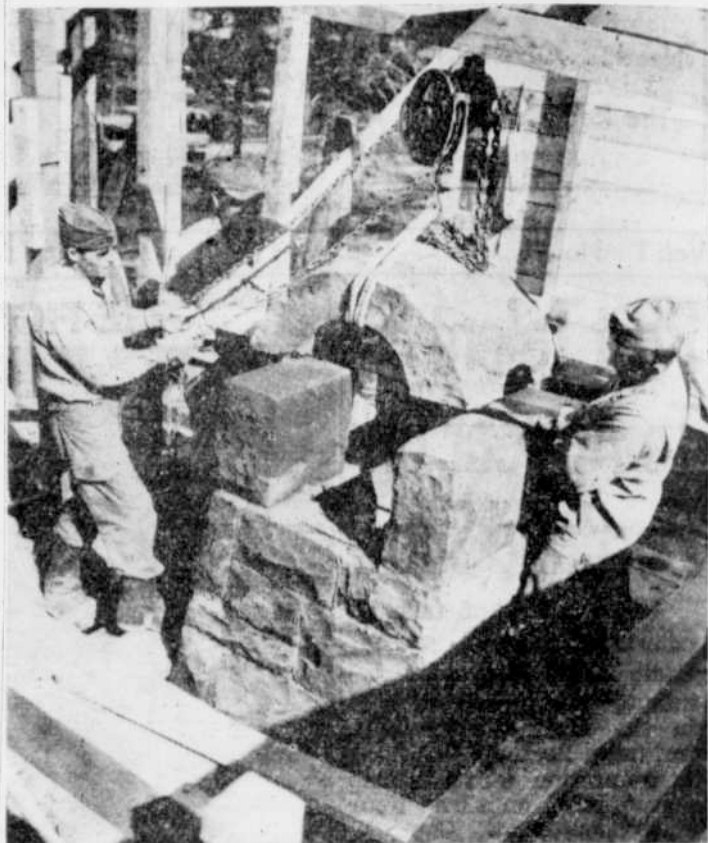
Sgt. O'Koneck, "Mama Blackie" to the gang, is trying to make the occupation of G. I. Pearl Diving and Plate and Platter Chauffering a job to be vied for rather than gripped about, his first strategy in this direction has been to find a more dignified title than the War I nomenclature, it is understood that a reward will be offered for the best name, type of reward not known—more later.

The 4th platoon set the pace on record day on the rifle range by qualifying their men 100% the other three platoon made that evening so miserable for their bolos they all returned to the range next day and made Marksman and better, thus qualifying the company 100%; not bad for just a few weeks training. (We have been advised that Capt. Burch has sent a copy of this to Hitojo Ltd.)

The popular Lt. Hasfunder has left C Co. assigned to Supplemental Training Co., and has been replaced by Lt. Anderson a newcomer to Camp Abbot, who stated after a few days here that he considered the climate mild. Lt. Anderson lived in Alaska.

Brooklyn (CNS) — Isidore Weinstein was fined \$3 on a speeding charge for scorching along the Coney Island boardwalk—on a bicycle.

FINAL STONE



Post Signal Photo Lab.

This unusual photograph shows the placing of the last stone on one of the huge chimneys which adorn the new Officer's Mess addition. The arched piece was carved from a solid five-foot block of natural stone by Pvt. Elmer E. Klotz of Service Company. Assisting the stone cutter were Pvts. Herschel Brok, Don Grant, Millard Reuss and Fredericks Martino.

Morale Unit Provides Entertainment Boost

Another milestone was passed Thursday night at the Service Club by the new Morale Services Branch in the presentation of the latest edition of an all-Abbot show neatly titled, "Khaki Kapers."

In accordance with the plan of Col. Frank S. Besson, post commander, to organize talent within each battalion for entertainment of that battalion, the show was presented with an informal air, and proved somewhat of a delight.

As emcee, Sgt. Buddy Hyde introduced several performers whose presence was the result of Morale's recent search for material. If there had been aisles in the joint, Pvt. Jimmy Stillwell, comedian, would have laid 'em in 'em. WAC Company was well represented in the persons of Sgt. June Dixon, Sgt. Christine Condon, and Cpl. Sunny Sonnenfelt. The program also included piano selections by PFC Bill Sumner.

Dunniger — the Master-mind-mind-reader of radio reknown wasn't there, but his protege was — Pvt. James Prass. The

Ramblers from B-59 didn't exactly ramble anywhere, but they sang a few southern songs. Pvt. Charles W. Langhammer slid softly into "Embraceable You."

The show Thursday night is only a sample of what is in store for the men at Abbot. The Morale Services Branch was organized for the sole purpose of providing entertainment and "relief from boredom," according to Lt. Charles Frucht. "We know that the boys need diversion, and we plan to give it to them."

Free Recordings Available Here

It is not difficult to imagine the pleasure that any soldier's mom or wife would experience to receive a phonograph record on which was recorded permanently a warm, personal message in the soldier's own voice, Service Club officials said this week in pointing out the privilege is offered free to any Camp Abbot soldier through arrangements made by the Morale Division with the Service Club.

The Wolf

by Sansone

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"Hey, Blue-eyes! th' boys tell me you're a howl!"